

PRESIDENT: Committee amendments as amended are adopted. Now the motion is to advance the bill. Senator DeCamp. The motion is to adopt the bill. Is there further discussion? If not, the motion is to advance the bill from General File. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. Voting on the advancement of LB 126 from General File to Enrollment and Review for review. Please record your vote. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record the vote.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 2 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to advance the bill. (See page 446 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. Do you have matters for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Judiciary reports LB 323 and 406 to General File with committee amendments attached, both signed by Senator Hoagland. (See page 446 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: We will take up LB 41, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, 41 is a bill offered by Senator Beutler. (Read title.) The bill was read on January 10. It was referred to the Judiciary Committee, was advanced to General File. I have no amendments to the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Beutler, do you want to handle this?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, I have passed out to you and you should have on your desk the three statutes that are being repealed. The bill would simply repeal three statutes, and in one sense you could call it an obsolete statute but that is not quite correct in the sense that it is not obsolete on its face. It is obsolete in the sense that it has never been used and is not a usable statute. Basically the statutes require a coroner or sheriff to make a murder known to the Governor and then the Governor is required to issue a proclamation and offer a reward but the reward cannot exceed \$200. Now in addition to that, there is some dangerous language so this has not been used in the past. The last time a proclamation was issued it was for \$1, for example, when some local county attorney happened to see the statute and call in and require